



**Response Under 37 CFR 1.116**

**Expedited Procedure**

**Examining Group 1700**

PATENT APPLICATION

Serial No. 09/150,531

Attorney Docket No. 1217-980347

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit 1721 :

In re application of :

TSUGUO KOYANAGI ET AL. : INORGANIC COMPOUND SOL  
MODIFIED BY ORGANIC

Serial No. 09/150,531 : COMPOUND

Filed March 11, 1998 :

Examiner Daniel S. Metzmaier :

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
March 29, 2000

**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants request a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on October 28, 1999, and the period set for response was three months, bringing the response to be due on January 1, 2000. Therefore, a three-month extension of time will bring the response due on April 28, 2000.

A check in the amount of \$435.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. A response to the outstanding Action is filed concurrently herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231Serial No.: 09/038,230 Filing Date: March 11, 1998Examiner: Daniel S. Metzmaier Group Art Unit: 1721Invention: "Inorganic Compound Sol Modified by Organic Compound"

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

No. of Claims After <u>Amendment</u>	Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>	Small Entity <u>Present</u> <u>Extra</u>	Non-Small Entity <u>Rate</u>	<u>Charge</u>
Total <u>1</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>-0-</u>	X \$ <u>9.00</u>	X \$ <u>18.00</u> \$ <u>-0-</u>
Indep. <u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>-0-</u>	X \$ <u>39.00</u>	X \$ <u>78.00</u> \$ <u>-0-</u>
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim			+ \$ <u>135.00</u>	+ \$ <u>270.00</u> \$ <u>-0-</u>
			Total Additional Fee	\$ <u>-0-</u>

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed to cover the fee.

A check in the amount of \$ 435.00 is enclosed for a three-month Petition for Extension of Time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment in the form of Electronic Funds Transfer to the bank account of record for Webb Ziesenhein Logsdon Orkin & Hanson, P.C. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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